



Application No. 09/470,566

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Application of: Kendyl A. Roman, et. al.

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Title: GENERAL PURPOSE COMPRESSION FOR VIDEO IMAGES (RHN)

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C. F. R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 11, 2002, please amend the application identified above as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the specification with the substitute specification enclosed herewith, including abstract. The substitute specification contains no new matter.

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 6 follows. Note that these changes were not made to overcome prior art references, but to avoid the potential argument that an "encoded video signal" is not an article of manufacture and that "said encoded data buffers" requires the claim to be written in dependent form.